Inquiry into e-mobility safety and use in Queensland

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E-scooters, E-bikes. The speed demonstrated by many users is reckless. The concern for public safety is non existent. The use of any pathway by walkers is now risk taking behaviour due to the escooter or e-bike travelling on the same pathway. Creating extra pathways is limiting what was a genuine pathway for walkers. E-scooter or E-bike users should have to pay a registration fee; just like motor vehicle users. If they are not allowed on the road, then don't allow them on the road. Immediate removal from the user should be the penalty. Fines do not work. Policing of the "road users" is no doubt difficult but should not be ignored. Users should adhere to any guidelines set out and be accountable by signing a form of registration. No excuse for e-abuse.